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Application No. 09/869,205

REMARKS

Claims 26-35 are pending. By this Amendment, claim 34 is amended. Claims 26-33 were allowed in the Office Action mailed October 5, 2006.

Interview Summary

Applicants thank the Examiner for the courtesy extended to their representative, Amy M. Salmela (Reg. No. 55,910) in a telephone interview on September 29, 2006. Claim 34 was discussed, with the Examiner suggesting amending claim 34 to overcome a 35 U.S.C. S 101 rejection. Although agreement was not reached, Applicants and their representatives appreciate the Examiner's call and thank him for his time.

Amendments to the Claims

Claim 34 is amended herein to recite that each of the comprehension module, the ration unit, and a generation module are "operating on a server." Support for the amendments to claim 34 can be found throughout the application as filed. Therefore, no new matter has been added.

Claim Rejections – 35 U.S.C. § 101

Claims 34 and 35 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 101 as including non-statutory subject matter.

Claim 34 has been amended to recite that each of the comprehension module, the rational unit, and the generation module are "operating on a server." Applicants respectfully submit that amended claim 34 is not devoid of any hardware, includes patent eligible subject matter, and is now allowable. Claim 35 depends from claim 34 and is therefore also now allowable at least for these reasons.

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Allowable Subject Matter

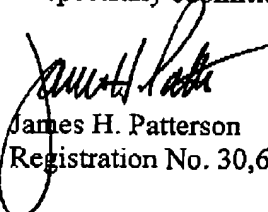
Applicants and their undersigned Attorney thank the Examiner for the indication of allowable subject matter in claims 25-33.

Conclusion

In view of the foregoing, it is submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of the application are respectfully requested.

The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned if the Examiner believes it would be useful to advance prosecution.

Respectfully submitted,



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